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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Takeshi HASHIZUME

Application No.: New U.S. National Phase of
PCT/IB2005/001930

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For: EXHAUST GAS CONTROL APPARATUS FOR INTERNAL COMBUSTION
ENGINE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims;

Remarks.